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Applicant : Michael Stowell et al. Art Unit : 1711  
 Serial No.: 09/934,989 Examiner : Jeffrey C. Mullis  
 Filed : August 21, 2001  
 Title : SOL-GEL ENCAPSULATION OF LIPID VESICLES, LIPID  
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Respectfully submitted,

Date: 5/19/03

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RESPONSE

In response to the Office Action mailed January 30, 2003,  
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accompanying fee and petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.136, please  
amend the application as follows:

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